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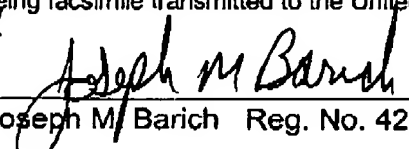
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(EDS) CARD AND SATELLITE
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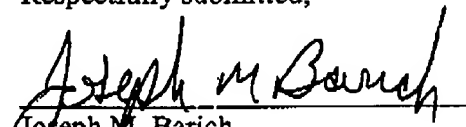
Sir:

This paper is submitted as an inquiry as to the status of the application identified above.

More than three years have passed since the filing of this application on November 13, 2001, accompanied by a post-card. A Filing Receipt was received December 14, 2001. A Notice of Publication of Application was sent August 8, 2002. No further communication has been received from the Patent and Trademark Office indicating action on this application.

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Respectfully submitted,

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